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MOUNTAIN VIEW

Clark Morlan is rambling right along in a new Ford.

J. P. Pierce is breaking some Corn-rump valley sod with his tractor for H. Hoffman.

We had a big celebration in the Stubblefield grove last year and we are going to have a bigger one yet on July 3rd and 4th.

Mrs. M. D. Chilson has gone to Marion county, Kansas, to visit two of her daughters, and other relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Clark Morlan took her as far as Elkhart, Kansas, in their car.

Now will the Hon. F. C. Field, of Clapham, formerly editor of the Citizen rise up and tell us how it feels to be dubbed an "unsuspecting delegate—or boob from the country—by the News, more commonly known as the Snooze, or Weakly Phonograph.

Say, but that was a dandy swell rain we got Sunday.

Sunday, June 11, will be observed as Children's Day at the Mountain View Sunday school. There will be Sunday school and a good program in the forenoon and a sermon in the afternoon. A picnic dinner will be served at noon. An offering of cash, eggs or a good book, will be taken for the benefit of the library. Everybody heartily invited.

Jay Dole says he notices the weakly snooze is keeping mighty quiet about "unsuspecting delegates"—or boobs from the country—and he opines that it will be a long time before said weakly snooze makes another break as raw as that.

No, Kay Lamity, if you wait until you are seventy to get married you won't do a blamed thing but sob your heart out on the wood pile to think of the half century of married bliss that might have been yours. Even young couples regret having waited so long. You've noticed that they all mention it. Dear old Kay Lamity imagines that he can lay aside his fancy work and cooking at the age of seventy, get a nice wife and then put in the rest of his days trotting his babies on his knees. Maybe so. Maybe so. Better ask Uncle Josh about that.

Mrs. George Kennedy left Thursday for a visit with home folks at Mullinville, Kansas.

We take it that the Snooze is making a desperate effort to qualify as a "Funny paper" after the democrats get snowed under next November. Said paper's assertion about the Citizen being controlled by bosses etc. gave this scribe such a fit of laughing that the good wife, upon hearing the noise from an adjoining room, thought one of the mules had stuck his head thru the window. Say, what's that about people judging others by themselves, and also that wise saw about how people who live in glass houses shouldn't throw stones—or fits either,—they might have added.

Chas. Brown has gone to Pittsburg, Pa., to spend the summer. He expects to work in the steel mills where his brother is now employed. Chas. closed up his feed mill but plans to return here in the fall in time to do bean threshing.

Our base ball boys have named themselves the "Sand Rats." How's that for variety? Anyhow the boys are playing pretty good ball this year and we are expecting some great sport before the season closes.

A. J. Righter.

PATTERSON

Everybody is wearing a smile as Sunday brought us a good rain.

Patterson met the Ute Creek Valley boys on their diamond and came home with the long end of the score.

Glenn Kost went to Mt. Dora, Saturday after his new car.

Mrs. S. F. Roach, Mrs. Pearl Lockhart and Miss Fannie Butler were Patterson traders Friday.

Roy Murray and George Brooks were Clayton traders the latter part of last week.

Pearl Lockhart was a trader also in Clayton last week.

Martin Woodward and family left for Carmen, Oklahoma, last Tuesday. A. A. McCray, Jack Haines and Will Atchley were on the sick list last week.

Jess Crosby and Jess Beecher went to the brakes after wood last week.

A. F. Robertson and George Kost went to the brakes also.

Pearl Lockhart is doing some fencing.

Perry Miller of Vance was transacting business in the city the first of the week.

B. B. Maddox of Grenville and his brother E. A. Maddox of Granstand, Nebraska, were visitors in the city Tuesday of this week.

THE REASON?

One reason why young men are not falling over themselves to break into the national guard may be attributed to the occurrence of too many incidents like the following:

"The action of those in charge of the Alvarado hotel at Albuquerque in refusing to allow Lieut. E. A. Roberts, of the New Mexico National Guard, to enter the dining room because he was attired in his uniform and consequently was not wearing a coat, has been taken up with Ford Harvey, head of the Alvarado and all other Harvey hotels along the Santa Fe system, by Adjutant General Harry T. Herring.

"I wrote Mr. Harvey as soon as the incident was brought to my attention," said General Herring this morning, "I want to determine definitely and at once the attitude of the Harvey people toward the uniform of the Guard. Lieut. Roberts was in field uniform and was wearing his field sweater. He had every right to enter the dining room and partake of a meal there."

The foregoing news story brings to mind very vividly the familiar verses by Kipling on the social side of army life:

I went into a theater as sober as could be,
They gave a drunk civilian room, but hadn't none for me

They sent me to the gallery or round the music-halls,
But when it comes to fightin' Lord! they'll shove me in the stall

For it's Tommy this, an' Tommy that, an' "Tommy wait outside,"

But it's "Special train for Atkins" when the trooper's on the tide

The troopship's on the tide, my boys, the troopship's on the tide

O it's "Special train for Atkins" when the trooper's on the tide

Yes, makin' mock of uniforms that guard you while you sleep

Is cheaper than them uniforms, and they're starvation cheap;

For it's Tommy this, an' Tommy that, an' Chuck "him out, the brute!"

But it's "Savior of his country," when the guns begin to shoot;

Yes, it's Tommy this an' Tommy that, an' anything you please;

But Tommy ain't a bloomin' fool you bet that Tommy sees!

NOTICE OF CONTEST

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office, at Clayton, New Mexico, May 4, 1916.

To Abran Duran, C-5902, of Moses, New Mexico, Contestee:

You are hereby notified that Agustin Ruiz who gives Moses, New Mexico, at his post-office address, did on April 12, 1916, file in this office his duly corroborated application to contest and secure the cancellation of your Homestead Entry, Serial No. 08769, made July 26, 1900, for SW 1-4 SE 1-4, and SE 1-4 S W1-4, Section 24, and E 1-2 NW 1-4, Section 25, Township 29 north, Range 36 East, N. M. P. Meridian, and as grounds for his contest he alleges that said Abran Duran never established and maintained a residence on said lands at any time since filing thereon; that he has failed to cultivate or improve said lands; that his present place of residence is to this contestant unknown.

You are, therefore, further notified that the said allegations will be taken as having been confessed, and your said entry will be canceled without further right to be heard, either before this office or on appeal, if you fail to file in this office within twenty days after the FOURTH publication of this notice, as shown below, your answer, under oath, specifically responding to these allegations of contest, together with due proof that you have served a copy of your answer on the said contestant either in person or by registered mail.

You should state in your answer the desire future notices to be sent to you.

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Bob Turpin, better known as "Big Jo" and local manager of the Big Jo Lumber Co., made a business trip to Baton Friday returning Saturday.

Herbert Herstein, the genial proprietor of the H. Herstein Seed Co., returned Sunday from Denver where he spent several days of last week on business. He says Denver is very "dry" but business conditions are improving.

Attorney O. P. Easterwood received a telegram from his brother in Cleburne, Texas, stating that his father, David Easterwood, is very ill. Mr. Easterwood took the noon train Monday for that place.

Master Paul Spurr came home with Lawrence Cliver Saturday from Trinidad. He will spend a couple of weeks as Lawrence's guest.

The Four States Seed Co., has opened its office in the Mission Theater corner. See us before contracting your beans.

Inspector B. F. Owen of Folsom was attending to the duties of his office here the latter part of last week.

"I wish to make apology to my mother, Mrs. D. L. Spore, thru your paper and to the public," Mrs. H. Noble.

A. J. Fisher, one of the enterprising stock farmers of Mt. Dora, was a visitor in the city Monday.

Athel Thompson, one of Clayton's boys who has been away for a number of years, was in the city Monday of this week visiting his sister, Mrs. Herman Hilgers.

Rev. Hoffman, living near Texline, and Rev. Hyso, from near Sedan, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hilgers Sunday.

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A FEATURE NOT TO BE OVERLOOKED

The Citizen is equipped to handle orders for every kind of engraving. This does not mean that we just "take orders" for wedding invitations and announcements, but will handle your wants for cards, society stationery, business letterheads, every kind of engraving and will furnish you with your own plate if you desire it.